



National Weather Service

Storm Data and Unusual Weather Phenomena



June 1999

Location	Date	Time Local/ Standard	Path Length (Miles)	Path Width (Yards)	Number of Persons		Estimated Damage	Character of Storm
					Killed	Injured	Property Crops	

CONNECTICUT, Northeast

CTZ002		Hartford						
	07	1300EST			0	0		Record Heat
High pressure near Bermuda brought a southwest flow of hot and humid air to Connecticut. At Bradley International Airport in Windsor Locks, the high temperature of 98 degrees broke the previous record high of 96 degrees, which was set in 1925								
Hartford County								
Canton	07	1755EST			0	0		Hail(1.25)
Hartford County								
Canton	07	1755EST			0	0		Thunderstorm Wind (G50)
Hartford County								
Canton	07	1827EST			0	0		Hail(0.75)
Scattered thunderstorms developed in advance of a cold front moving east from the Ohio Valley. One severe thunderstorm in Hartford County downed trees and wires in Canton, and produced half dollar sized hail. A second severe thunderstorm about half an hour later produced dime sized hail in Canton.								

MASSACHUSETTS, Central and East

MAZ015>016		Suffolk - Eastern Norfolk						
	07	1300EST			0	0		Record Heat
High pressure near Bermuda brought a southwest flow of hot and humid air to Massachusetts. At Logan International Airport in Boston, the high temperature of 97 degrees broke the previous record high of 92 degrees, which was set in 1925. At the Blue Hills Observatory in Milton, the high temperature of 93 degrees broke the previous record high of 93 degrees, which was also set in 1925								
Hampden County								
West Springfield	13	1402EST			0	0		Thunderstorm Wind (G50)
Hampshire County								
Northampton	13	1417EST			0	0		Thunderstorm Wind (G50)
An isolated severe thunderstorm downed three 4-inch diameter limbs in West Springfield, at the intersection of Kings Highway and City View Avenue. The same storm also downed a few 2-inch diameter limbs and a power line on Florence Road in Northampton.								
Essex County								
Methuen	23	1730EST			0	0		Hail(1.25)
Essex County								
Methuen	23	1730EST			0	0		Thunderstorm Wind (G50)
Norfolk County								
Norfolk	23	1745EST			0	0		Hail(0.75)
Isolated severe thunderstorms moved across parts of Essex and Norfolk Counties. In Essex County, a severe thunderstorm downed trees and wires in Methuen, and also produced golf ball sized hail. In Norfolk County, another severe thunderstorm produced dime sized hail in Norfolk.								
Hampshire County								
Northampton to Belchertown	29	1519EST 1527EST			0	0		Lightning
Hampden County								
Westfield to Springfield	29	1545EST 1734EST			0	0		Lightning
Worcester County								
Princeton	29	1612EST			0	0		Thunderstorm Wind (G50)



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MASSACHUSETTS, Central and East

An isolated severe thunderstorm downed trees on Sterling Road in Princeton, and another tree downed by thunderstorm winds blocked Route 62. Other thunderstorms with frequent lightning caused scattered power outages in Hampshire and Hampden Counties. About 900 customers lost power. Belchertown was one of the hardest hit areas from lightning strikes.

MAZ015

Suffolk

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0

0

Record Dryness

At Logan International Airport in Boston, only a trace of precipitation fell during the month of June. This made June 1999 the driest June on record in Boston. The previous record was 0.23 inches, which was set in June, 1912. Records in Boston date back to 1872.

NEW HAMPSHIRE, Southern

Cheshire County

**Rindge to
Marlborough**

29

**1500EST
1505EST**

0

0

Thunderstorm Wind (G50)

Hillsborough County

Manchester

29

1600EST

0

0

Lightning

An isolated severe thunderstorm downed two small trees in Rindge, and downed wires in Marlborough. Lightning from another storm struck the roof of an apartment building in Manchester, creating a two-alarm fire. Other lightning strikes in Hillsborough County resulted in scattered power outages, mostly in the towns of Bedford and Merrimack. About 600 customers lost power.

RHODE ISLAND

RIZ004

Eastern Kent

07 1300EST

0

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Record Heat

High pressure near Bermuda brought a southwest flow of hot and humid air to Rhode Island. The high temperature of 96 degrees at T.F. Green State Airport in Warwick tied the record high temperature for the date, which was set in 1925.